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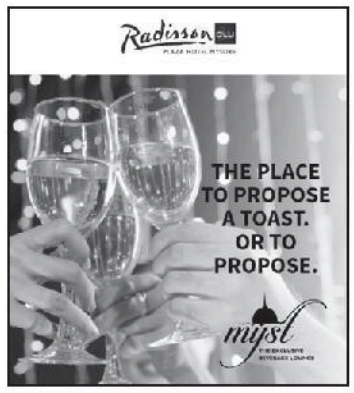

Gen. K.S. Thimayya Statue at Madikeri collapses as KSRTC bus crashes on it

File photo of Gen. K.S. Thimayya statue. Pic. right shows the KSRTC bus which crashed into the Circle early this morning uprooting the statue and the pedestal.

- **Fog blurs vision of speeding bus driver**
- **Conductor thrown out of empty bus**
- **Damaged statue shifted to 'Sunny Side' Museum**
- **Statue will be rebuilt at same spot, says MLA**

Madikeri, Aug. 21 (PS&BCT)- The landmark bronze statue of General Kodandera S. Thimayya at the entrance of Madikeri town crashed early this morning as a speeding KSRTC bus collided against it.

The impact of the accident was such that the statue fell onto the ground, toppling the granite pedestal on which the statue stood. The bus came to a halt inside the Circle that housed the statue. Reports said that the bus (KA-21-F-0043) was coming to Madikeri town from the KSRTC Depot and was heading towards the KSRTC bus station at 5.30 am and entered the Circle, commonly known as Toll Gate.

According to the Police, as the bus neared the Toll Gate, a speeding pick-up vehicle entered the main road from the Sri Omkareshwara Temple side (near Ganapathy Nursing Home) and the bus driver, who was also speeding, had difficulty seeing through thick morning fog that had engulfed Madikeri.

The driver, Kotregowda from Davanagere, lost control and, in a bid to avoid collision with the pick-up vehicle, rammed against the statue.

Police said that the conductor, Puttaswamy from Arasikere, was sitting near the driver and he was thrown off from the bus through the front windshield, shattering the glass. Puttaswamy sustained grievous injuries on his head and hip and has been shifted to the District Hospital.

After the incident, the driver too told the Police that he could not see the statue due to thick fog and his vision was blurred. Reports said that the bus did not have any passengers and only the driver and conductor were there and were heading to pick passengers from the bus stand. The bus was supposed to travel to Mangaluru at 5.45 am. A case has been booked against driver Kotregowda at Madikeri Traffic Police Station.

(See STATUE on page 6)

Release of Cauvery water to Tamil Nadu

No Expressway block; BJP stages protest in Mandya

Mandya, Aug. 21 (Mohan Raj &KS)- Denouncing the release of Cauvery water to Tamil Nadu from the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) and Kabini Dams despite the prevailing water scarcity in the region, a gathering of over 500 BJP activists, including MPs, MLAs and various individuals, staged a protest in Mandya this morning.

Forgoing the earlier planned location of Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway, the demonstrators congregated at Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Circle within Mandya town. Positioning themselves in a sit-in demonstration at the Circle, the protesters vociferously decried the State Government's decision to release water to Tamil Nadu amidst a dearth caused by insufficient rainfall. Their attempt to set fire to an effigy was promptly thwarted by a substantial Police presence at the scene.

Sumalatha Ambarish, MP of Mandya, emphasised the incongruity of releasing Cauvery water to Tamil Nadu while the local populace grapples with limited access to drinking water and the agricultural sector faces challenges due to water scarcity.

Sumalatha urged Karnataka Chief Minister Siddharamaiah to intervene and instruct the Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited (CNNL) officials to suspend the water release.

(See PROTEST on page 6)

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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Monday 21st August 2023

Blood donation camp held

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (BCT)- Minhaj Welfare Foundation (MWF) is a global humanitarian aid organisation committed to supporting the poor and needy in marginalised communities by ensuring their basic human rights, providing children access to basic healthcare and promoting sustainable socio-economic development in communities.

A free medical camp and blood donation camp was recently organised at Sahara School for Children with Special Needs in Udayagiri. The camp ensured that potential donors undergo testing before blood donation and only those fit and with an adequate haemoglobin level were eligible to donate blood. This careful screening ensured safety of donors.

The MWF's initiative to organise free blood donation camps is a commendable effort to save lives and promote well-being within the community, embodying the spirit of humanitarianism and the teachings of Islam.

Founded by Dr. Muhammed Tahir Ul Qadri in 1989, MWF has established 93 branches worldwide. In India, it operates under the name Minhaj Interfaith and Welfare Foundation and is actively involved in serving humanity across every State and district in the country.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, MWF played a crucial role in providing oxygen supply, feeding the needy, offering relief to flood-affected families, conducting health check-up camps and promoting peace.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Immediately after the State Assembly elections, the new Congress Government moved to implement the party's pre-poll promises. Free power to most homes, monthly payments to women-led households, free rice to every BPL person, an unemployment subsidy, and free bus travel for women. There was widespread acknowledgment that these promises had been the key reasons for the party's victory, and people would be watching to see if they were kept.

In the revised budget, presented after the election, the Chief Minister indicated that nearly Rs. 40,000 crore would be spent on these commitments in the current financial year. Full-year figures for the next year could be as high as Rs. 60,000 crore. That's about one-sixth of the budget.

Doing the numbers is one thing. But finding the money for the new schemes is a very different thing. How does the Government propose to finance them? The CM's budget speech provided the answer — more taxes on alcohol, more taxes on properties, more taxes on some categories of vehicles and lots of new borrowing. And better enforcement to ensure that people aren't avoiding paying taxes.

If you don't want to pay more taxes, this is a good time to be thinking about drinking less and driving less. Doctors and urban planners have been urging us to cut down on these things for decades, anyway, and perhaps these taxes could eventually nudge enough people to make the switch to fruit juices and public transport. But the Government needs these revenues to help the poor. What a dilemma!

It's bizarre that the things we were urged to avoid — more alcohol, more vehicles and more over-priced properties that push the poor out of our cities — are now the things that the Government is pinning its hopes on to fund its new initiatives. Can this arrangement last long, or will it collapse under its contradictions? We'll know as the schemes roll out, but there are some early signs of what to expect. All the schemes will only be partially implemented. *—Ashwin Mahesh, Social Technologist and Entrepreneur, in Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Bullets rebound 'Hard-Headed' man's head!

Gustavo A. Madero: A Mexican man can consider himself lucky to be alive after being shot in the head at least two times only to have the bullets rebound off of his skull.

On Aug. 2, the man, referred to only as Francisco by Mexican media, was strolling through the streets of the Gustavo A. Madero neighbourhood of Mexico City when he was approached by a man identified as Carlos N. who shot him in the head at close range two times. The reasons for the attack have not yet been revealed, but what most headlines have been focusing on is the miraculous outcome of the gunshots. Instead of growing through Francisco's head, the point-blank shots ricocheted off of his skull, leaving the victim with minor flesh wounds.

Having only suffered minor flesh wounds, Francisco was able to alert some nearby security guards who quickly seized the assailants. For now, the reasons of the attack remain a mystery, but the middle age Mexican man can consider himself extremely lucky.

Boy dies after posing in limestone dust

Ipriranga: Arthur, a 7-year-old boy from Brazil's Paraná region tragically lost his life after playing in limestone dust and posing for an innocent family photo.

The deadly incident occurred on Aug. 3, in the town of Ipriranga, southern Brazil. Arthur was playing on the side of the road under the watchful eye of his family when he noticed a pile of fine white dust. The boy thought it would be fun to roll and play in it like kids usually do with sand, at the beach. His parents didn't see anything wrong with it and they even took a photo of the boy playing and posing with two thumbs up. Moments after getting up from the pile of white dust, Arthur started feeling bad and he was taken to a local hospital, but doctors could do nothing to save his life.

HEALTH CAPSULE

IRREGULAR PERIODS: Common among most young girls. Polycystic ovaries could be the reason. Need to evaluate first. It's a lifestyle problem. You can sort this by maintaining healthy weight, balanced diet, exercise and good sleep for 6-8 hrs and also by being stress free. Maintain your menstrual. This avoids future health problems too.

Dr. Shaheen Akhtar - Consultant - Obstetrics & Gynecology - Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Applications invited for Apprenticeship

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (SSM) - Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) Technical Training Institute, Bengaluru, has invited applications from candidates for full-term apprenticeship in fitter, turner, machinist, electrician, welder, foundry-man, trade and sheet metal works. Candidates must have passed in ITI course. Candidates will be given a stipend from the Government.

Applicants must compulsorily register at *https://www.apprenticeshipindia.gov.in/* Applications must be submitted along with copies of ITI marks card, National Trade Certificate (NTC), caste certificate, Aadhaar card, disability certificate, if any, PAN card, NCVT MIS Portal registration documents before Aug. 29. For details contact Assistant Director of District Employment Exchange Office on Ph: 0821-2489972.

Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20 Cricket Tournament

TODAY'S MATCHES (AUG. 21)

- **Shivamogga Lions** Vs **Gulbarga Mystics** — **1.00 pm**
- **Bengaluru Blasters** Vs **Mangalore Dragons** — **5.30 pm**

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (AUG. 22)

- **Hubli Tigers** Vs **Bengaluru Blasters** — **1.00 pm**
- **Mysore Warriors** Vs **Shivamogga Lions** — **5.30 pm**

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS (AUG. 20)

Mysore Warriors 188/4 (18.5 Overs) Beat
Hubli Tigers 185/7 (20 Overs)

Gulbarga Mystics 121/5 (17.1 Overs) Beat
Mangalore Dragons 120/9 (20 Overs)

VENUE: **M. Chinnaswamy Stadium in Bengaluru**

NOTE: Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20-2023 will be telecast live on *Star Sports 2* and *Star Sports 1 Kannada TV* channels in India. Live streaming will be available on the *FanCode app*.

REALLY...?

- ***Pandas spend 14-16 hours a day eating bamboo.***
- ***A chinchilla's teeth can grow up to 12 inches a year.***
- ***Giant Anteaters eat 35,000 ants per day.***
- ***Most bats can't walk because their leg bones are too thin.***
- ***Hedgehogs have about 5,000 spikes on their bodies.***
- ***A group of owls is called a parliament.***
- ***Leopard seals don't have ears.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Little Radha was practicing violin while her father was reading newspaper. The dog was lying and as the screeching sounds of violin reached his ears, he began to howl loudly. Father listened to the dog and the violin. He jumped up and yelled above the noise, *"For pity's sake, can't you play something the dog doesn't know?"*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 83.10
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 105.83
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.62
1 Euro	= Rs. 90.39

VOICE OF THE READER

Focus on Tier II and III cities is need of the hour

Sir,

Infosys Co-Founder Kris Gopalakrishnan's suggestion (or advice!?) to decentralise investments beyond Bengaluru and divert to Tier II and III cities like Mysuru, Hubballi - Dharwad is a right advice *(SOM* dated Aug.19).

Nobody can deny, Bengaluru is bursting at its seams. Infrastructure is crumbling, civic system pathetically poor, supply of drinking water to the citizens is becoming a nightmare. Less said the better about transport system though Metro connectivity to certain areas has eased the pressure to some extent.

Unfortunately, political leadership in Karnataka has not understood the gravity of the situation and continues approval of investments in Bengaluru. Tier II and III cities are the potential places to grow by improving the infrastructure. This will not only reduce the pressure on Bengaluru, but also help growth potential of such cities and help horizontal growth of the State.

Hope, Karnataka Government will take Infosys Co-Founder Kris Gopalakrishnan's advice seriously and avoid collapse of Bengaluru, the proud capital of Karnataka.

—MRG Murthy
Siddarthanagar
19.8.2023

On Lansdowne Building

Sir,

This is with reference to the article on Lansdowne Building *(SOM* dated Aug.13). To my knowledge, shortly after the tragedy, structural expert Dr. C. S. Vishwanath (since deceased) of Torsteel Foundation, Bengaluru, was invited to study the building and offer his expert advice. What happened to his Report is not known.

On the other hand, PWD took his advice to strengthen the beams and columns of OPD Block of K.R. Hospital which had developed cracks. It is unfortunate that prompt action was not taken at the right time.

—M.S. Nagendra
VV Mohalla
16.8.2023

Workshop in organic farming

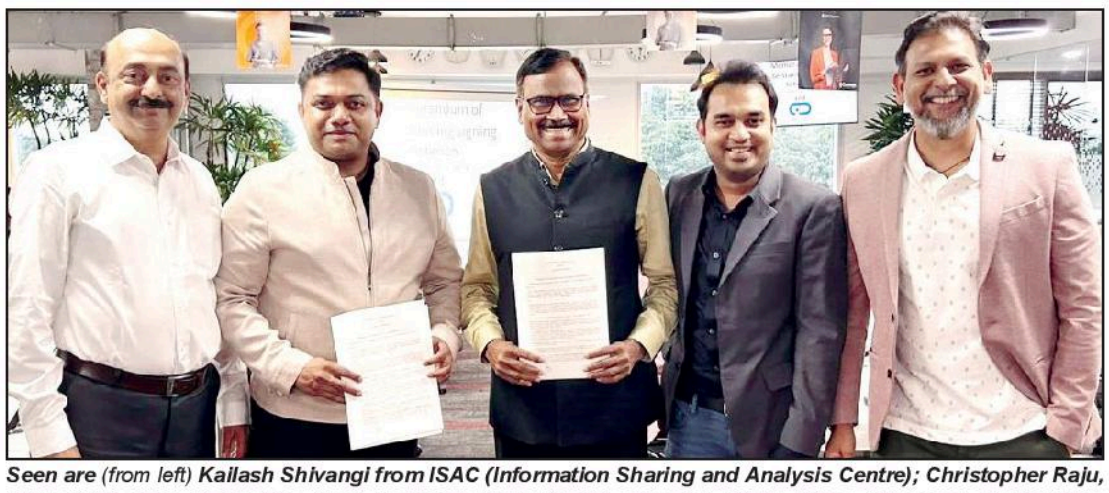
Mysuru, Aug. 21- A workshop in organic farming has been organised at the farm of R.S. Ramananda and M.S. Rani in Rangasamudra of T. Narasipur taluk on Aug. 23 under 'Savayava Sampada' series of All India Radio's (AIR) 'Krishi Belagu' programme. Agriculture Department Joint Director Dr. B.S. Chandrashekar will inaugurate the event at 10 am. Akashvani Assistant Director S.S. Umesh will preside.

The programme is organised under the joint aegis of Akashvani, Mysuru, Agriculture Department, Mysuru, University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS), Bengaluru, Extension Education Unit of Organic Farming Research Station, Naganahalli, Zonal Agriculture Research Centre, VC Farm of Mandya, Federation of Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagar Districts Regional Co-operative Organic Farmers Association and Visvesvaraya Development Organisation, Mysuru.

Mysuru athletes for Asian Muay Thai Championship

Leela and Rohan, athletes of Genesis MMA, Mysuru, will be representing India in the Asian Muay Thai Championship to be held in Tashkent from Aug. 21 to 28 by World Muaythai Federation (WMF). Both train under Samith Bhat at Genesis MMA. Seen are** (from left) **Rohan, Team India Assistant Coach Anjali Gupta and Leela.

MoU for cyber security centre of excellence



Seen are** (from left) **Kailash Shivangi from ISAC (Information Sharing and Analysis Centre); Christopher Raju, CEO of Otomeyt World; Gp. Capt. P. Anand Naidu (Retd.), Director, ISAC; Alfred Alexander, Senior Vice-President of Apar People World and Vijay from Otomeyt World.

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (BCT)- Information Sharing and Analysis Centre (ISAC), Mysuru's inaugural Cyber Security Institute, has partnered with multinational IT firms Apar People World and Otomeyt World, headquartered in Bengaluru. This collaboration's objective is to establish a centre of excellence for cyber security both in Bengaluru and globally.

India holds the unfortunate rank of the second most susceptible country to cyber attacks. The previous year alone saw a staggering 13.9 lakh cyber attacks. Sectors such as healthcare, manufacturing, Government institutions, banking, and retail have particularly borne the brunt of these attacks.

Within this year, a recorded count of 1,800 cyber crimes has been documented in Mysuru city. Present statistics underscore the need for over 40,000 cyber security professionals in India. Raising awareness about cyber technology remains pivotal in curtailing the misuse of technological advancements.

ISAC, a public-private partnership entity overseen by the Ministry of Education, is actively engaged in offering essential training, technological support, complementary systems and skilled experts in the realm of cyber security, led by Group Captain P. Anand Naidu (Retd.), the organisation's Director.

ISAC has already been collaborating with prestigious engineering colleges across Karnataka to train numerous students in this field. ISAC has established MoUs with various Ministries within the Government of India. Additionally, ISAC manages and maintains the esteemed National Security Database (NSD) programme, ensuring the development of next-generation cyber security professionals and leaders in alignment with NSD standards.

Christopher Raju, CEO of Otomeyt World, a prominent software and HR solution company, highlighted that the programme not only imparts training but also certifies professionals in global workplace ethics.

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Giving birth in water is popular method for pain relief during labor, floating in water helps women to move around more easily than in labor bed. The relaxing effect of warm water helps to produce happy hormones called endorphins promoting body's natural pain relief mechanism mentally with a greater ability to focus on the birth process.

1. Experts suggest that women opting for water birthing are more likely to go for natural birth.

Most painful part of natural labor and delivery for a birthing mother is contractions of uterine muscles and pressure on the cervix. water birthing makes this part comparatively painless.

Water birth can be smooth- ening ,may help with pain relief and mimics the environment of the womb. It is generally safe and won't affect a baby's ability to breathe as the baby will continue getting oxygen from the umbilical cord until removed from the birthing pool.

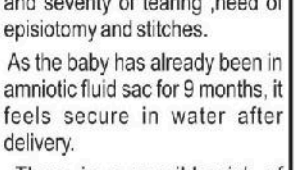
2. Birthing centers and a large number of obstetricians believe that reducing the stress of labor and delivery will reduce the fetal complications also.

Water birth should always occur under the supervision of a health care provider. Water birth are more dangerous when they take place at home as there is usually no immediate emergency medical help with home water birth.

By giving this facility in the Hospital, it is more home like setting than a hospital.

Dr. Jyothi Umesh and Dr Shushma Madhu Praksh with recently water birth delivered patient

3. Water causes the perinium to become more elastic and relaxed, reducing the incidence and severity of tearing ,need of episiotomy and stitches.



As the baby has already been in amniotic fluid sac for 9 months, it feels secure in water after delivery.

There is a possible risk of aspiration, seizures and infection for the baby.

Umbilical cord avulsion can occur which will be taken care by the obstetrician.

Condition not ideal for water birth are twin pregnancy, preterm labor, breach presentation, meconium stained liquor, big baby, high blood pressure history.

Conclusion:
Water birth is a pleasurable, luxurious and painless experience.
It makes pain easy and bearable. Easy mobility in water makes water birthing a memorable experience for the birthing mothers.

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NEWS BRIEFS

UG, PG Course

Yuvaraja's College (Autonomous) is offering 5-Year integrated M.Sc. (UG, PG) course in Molecular Biology. Applications are invited from PUC/10+2 or equivalent passed students for admission to this research and career oriented course. As per National Educational Policy (NEP) 2020, students wishing to take admission to 5-Year Integrated M.Sc. Molecular Biology have to apply through UUCMS-Admission Portal: **https://uucms.karnataka.gov.in** from Aug. 19 to Sept. 8. For details log on to the College website or email to ***vcmmb2010@gmail.com/nodalofficrnep@ycm.uni-mysore.ac.in***

Appointed

P. Manjunath

N. Raju

P. Manjunath, a resident of Pulikeshi Road, B.B. Keri in Mandi Mohalla, Mysuru, has been appointed as the Divisional President of Karnataka State City Corporation, City Municipal Council, Town Municipal Council Pourakarmika Maha Sangha. In another appointment, N. Raju, a resident of Pourakarmika Colony on Sewage Farm Road in Vidyaranyapuram, has been appointed as the State General Secretary of the Maha Sangha, according to a press release from former Mayor and Karnataka State Local Bodies Scavengers Association State President Narayana.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	105.70 feet
Yesterday	:	106.68 feet
Inflow	:	4,983 cusecs
Outflow	:	15,247 cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
Today	:	2276.60 feet
Inflow	:	3,868 cusecs
Outflow	:	7,325 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,858.71 feet
Inflow	:	2,446 cusecs
Outflow	:	2,100 cusecs

Touts divert tourists from Palace to shopping areas

Provide misleading information to visitors that Mysore Palace is closed for rituals

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (BLU&BCT)- The illustrious Mysore Palace, renowned for its Indo-Saracenic grandeur and rich history, confronts a formidable challenge from a set of people. This network disseminates false information, ensnaring inquisitive tourists and marring their experiences.

With an annual influx of approximately 3.5 million tourists, the Mysore Palace ranks as India's prime attraction after the Taj Mahal. Travellers from across the globe are drawn to its exquisite beauty, particularly when illuminated. However, an entrenched mafia presence within the city manipulates and misguides tourists, steering them away from the Palace and embroiling them in purchasing schemes for personal gain.

Impersonating guides, these people orchestrate a cartel that deceives tourists, leading them to private businesses and entertainment establishments in exchange for commissions. Visitors, especially those from out-of-State or outstation locales, are dissuaded from visiting the Mysore Palace and other tourist sites. Instead, they are directed to select private outlets selling handicrafts, silk and sandalwood sculptures, as well as amusement parks.

False information

Tourists arriving in Mysuru fall victim to these tactics as they receive false information about the Palace's closure due to rituals or other reasons. They are then redirected to alternative locations, where the mafia profits from their unsuspecting victims. The mafia takes advantage of tourists' curiosity by peddling fake Mysore Silk sarees and counterfeit items, causing financial losses for these travellers.

These mafia members position themselves strategically at key locations around the Palace and upon spotting vehicles with registration number plates from other States heading towards the Palace, a person or two approaches and falsely claims the Palace is closed for a ceremony. Instead, tourists are directed towards exquisite handicraft and silk saree stores, promising additional sightseeing after shopping.

Tourists easily succumb to the ruse, following the guides to these outlets. The people are rewarded with generous commissions upon arrival at the shops. They either board the tourist vehicles or lead them on bikes, extorting money from tourists under the guise of assistance. Even auto-rickshaw drivers are complicit in this deception, exploiting and defrauding tourists.

Multiple letters

The situation has escalated to the extent that the Mysuru Palace Board Deputy Director and district officials, responsible for overseeing the Palace's operations, have repeatedly communicated their concerns to the City Police Commissioner. The letters underscore the urgency of addressing the mafia's activities and their detrimental impact on tourism.

Despite these efforts, minimal progress has been achieved, leaving tourists vulnerable to scams. Numerous complaints from defrauded tourists have poured in, revealing the extent of the problem. In an area renowned for its sandalwood, counterfeit sandalwood oil and jewellery further victimise unsuspecting tourists.

While the district officials have attempted to combat the issue through complaints and evidence submitted to the Police, the lack of proactive measures from law enforcement has cast a shadow over their endeavours. Efforts to preserve Mysore's allure and uphold its status as a hospitable tourist destination face substantial obstacles. The imperative for swift, resolute action against the mafia has never been more pressing.

'Action will be taken'

"We are not aware of the reasons behind some people preventing tourists from visiting the Mysore Palace. No correspondence has been received from the Mysuru Palace Board regarding this matter and we will pledge prompt attention in case the Board submits a complaint in writing."

— Ramesh Banoth, City Police Commissioner

'Police have to act'

"Individuals with malicious intent mislead tourists by disseminating false information about a private royal event at the Mysore Palace, falsely indicating its closure. This deceptive practice aims to defraud tourists. We have brought the issue to the notice of many Deputy Commissioners who have written to the City Police Commissioner to address this issue. However, no Police action has been taken thus far."

— T.S. Subramanya, Mysore Palace Board Deputy Director

Calling sportspersons to avail incentives

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (SSM)- The Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES) have invited applications from eligible sportspersons belonging to SC and ST community to avail incentives under Scheduled Caste Sub-Plan and Scheduled Tribe Sub-Plan.

Candidates who have won medals in International, National and State-level sports between Jan. 1, 2022 and Dec. 31, 2022 are eligible to apply. Applications are available at the DYES Assistant Director's Office, Chamundi Vihar Stadium, Nazarbad, in city.

The filled in forms may be submitted before Sept. 6. For further details, call Ph: 0821-2564179, according to a press release from the DYES Assistant Director.

Ethical usage of ChatGPT can aid academics, learning

Special lecture on OpenAI's tool and its impact on academic writing, limitations

Prof. Shalini R. Urs, former Professor of Library and Information Science at the University of Mysore, delivering a lecture at Vijnana Bhavana in Manasagangothri Campus here recently. Picture right shows a section of audience.

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (PM&BCT)- ChatGPT has the potential to revolutionise the realms of education, research and academia owing to its advanced natural language processing capabilities, according to the insights shared by Prof. Shalini R. Urs, former Professor of Library and Information Science at the University of Mysore.

She was speaking recently at a special lecture titled 'ChatGPT and Academic Writing' jointly organised by the Departments of Library and Information Science, Journalism and Mass Communication, English, and Computer Science at Vijnana Bhavana, Manasagangothri.

In her lecture, Prof. Shalini Urs raised awareness about the potential influence of ChatGPT, an AI chatbot created by OpenAI. This chatbot is proficient in generating responses to diverse inquiries and has garnered attention due to its rapid emergence and multifaceted content creation capabilities encompassing text, images and code. She highlighted the transformative effect on content creation, including academic writing, facilitated by this technology.

The core technology that propels ChatGPT is the concept of Large Language Models (LLMs). These models, powered by extensive artificial neural networks, excel in tasks related to natural language processing, such as generating text and performing classification. Leveraging billions of parameters, LLMs exhibit remarkable capabilities.

Prof. Shalini Urs delved into the realm of academic writing, a critical component of scholarly communication. She elucidated the two distinct types: Student and expert academic writing, both necessitating precision, research and lucidity. The potential of AI in enhancing academic tasks, including data analysis, literature review and experiment design and optimisation was underscored. Notably, ChatGPT has the capacity to aid in idea generation, citation management and essay refinement.

The presentation not only demystified the academic writing process but also underscored the role of ChatGPT as a virtual assistant for amplifying efficiency. Prof. Shalini Urs emphasised the ethical utilisation of AI tools to augment academic writing endeavours while upholding integrity and ethical standards.

During his keynote speech, Prof. Muzaffar H. Assadi from the Department of Political Science and In-Charge Chairman of the Department of English, underlined the imperative of harnessing the advantages offered by AI for societal progress. However, he cautioned against the evident threats that have emerged within communities.

Prof. Assadi pointed out that AI has the potential to exacerbate societal divisions, creating a dichotomy between individuals with AI-related advantages and those without.

The impact of AI on existing civilisation, which revolves around human affairs, has been likened to the solemn toll of a funeral bell. The power of AI is so immense that it's being equated to a new revolution, succeeding the scientific revolution that has shaped our world.

Nevertheless, this technological leap is accompanied by adverse effects, particularly concerning the job market and workforce. The advent of AI-driven news anchoring is just the initial phase of a much broader transformation. It represents a mere fraction of the changes AI is poised to bring to diverse sectors.

This transition is often referred to as the tip of the iceberg, implying that there's a substantial depth of change lying beneath the surface. Prof. Assadi provided a prudent piece of advice to students, stressing the judicious and thoughtful use of ChatGPT and similar AI tools. This counsel stems from the recognition that while AI can be a potent asset, it requires responsible handling to navigate potential pitfalls and unintended consequences.

Prof. N.S. Harinarayana, Chairman of the Department of Library and Information Science, facilitated the discussion and shed light on the clash between traditional academic methods and advanced AI technology, addressing concerns about the potential impact of ChatGPT on the authenticity of academic writing.

The event also saw participation from Prof. H.S. Nagendraswamy, Chairman of the Department of Studies in Computer Science, Prof. M.S. Sapna, Chairman of the Department of Studies in Journalism and Mass Communication and Prof. M. Chandrashekara from the Department of Studies in Library and Information Science.

Two-day saree expo begins

A two-day designer exhibition showcasing Shreeda Sarees, an exclusive scoop of Banaras, Kanjeevaram, Cutwork on Soft Silks and Organza, organised by Impressionz at Hotel Southern Star on Vinoba Road in city, was inaugurated this morning. The expo is open between 11 am and 8 pm today and tomorrow. Picture shows organiser Krupa Sumanth (right) with the first customer Meghna.

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Gen. K.S. Thimayya Statue collapses

A view of the landmark Circle at Madikeri without the statue of Gen. K.S. Thimayya this morning.

The damaged statue of Gen. K.S. Thimayya being removed from the accident spot with the help of a crane.

The statue of Gen. K.S. Thimayya without the pedestal temporarily kept at 'Sunny Side' Museum.

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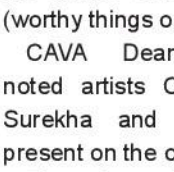
Soon after the accident, a large number of people had gathered around the area causing a traffic jam. As the fog cleared, the damage became more visible. Residents of the town said that it was a sad moment for them to see the statue of the celebrated General lying on the ground. They told *Star of Mysore* that the statue was always there as a symbol of valour and the bus driver should have been more careful. They blamed reckless driving.

The fallen statue was shifted with the help of a crane to 'Sunny Side' that houses General K.S. Thimayya Museum, located at a short distance from the Toll Gate. As the statue fell on the railings, the sharp iron pierced the bronze statue at five places. As of now, there are no reports of cracks and only a close examination will reveal the extent of damage.

People of Kodagu are emotionally associated with the statue and it is one of the first well-known landmarks in Madikeri at the entrance of the hill town. The statue was made at Ranchi in 1972 and was brought to Madikeri then in a large truck.

It was unveiled on 21.4.1973 by Field Marshal Sam Manekshaw. 50 years have passed and it is for the first time that the statue has been damaged.

Unfortunate incident: MLA



Ponnanna

Reacting to the accident, Virajpet MLA A.S. Ponnanna, who is also Chief Minister Siddharamaiah's Legal Advisor with the status of a Cabinet Minister, told reporters that the incident was unfortunate as the historic statue has been uprooted.

"People of Kodagu have immense pride in the statue as Kodagu has produced many Defence personalities who have served and who are still serving the country. *Prima facie,* it looks like a case of careless driving and I have asked the Kodagu Deputy Commissioner to send a report about the incident. Action will be taken based on the DC's report," he said.

The MLA has said that the Statue Circle will be rebuilt along with the pedestal and the statue will be restored at the same place with immense honour. Even the representatives from the Kodava community have demanded that the statue be installed at the same place improving upon the old design of the Circle with modern architecture.

Kokkalemada Manju Chinappa of the United Kodava Organisation (UKO) said that the statue was like a 'Kalasha' for Madikeri and it must be restored in the same place.

Codava National Council (CNC) President Nandineravanda U. Nachappa has demanded a detailed investigation into the accident. Blaming over-speeding by the bus driver for the accident, he has demanded that the statue be restored at the spot with full honours.

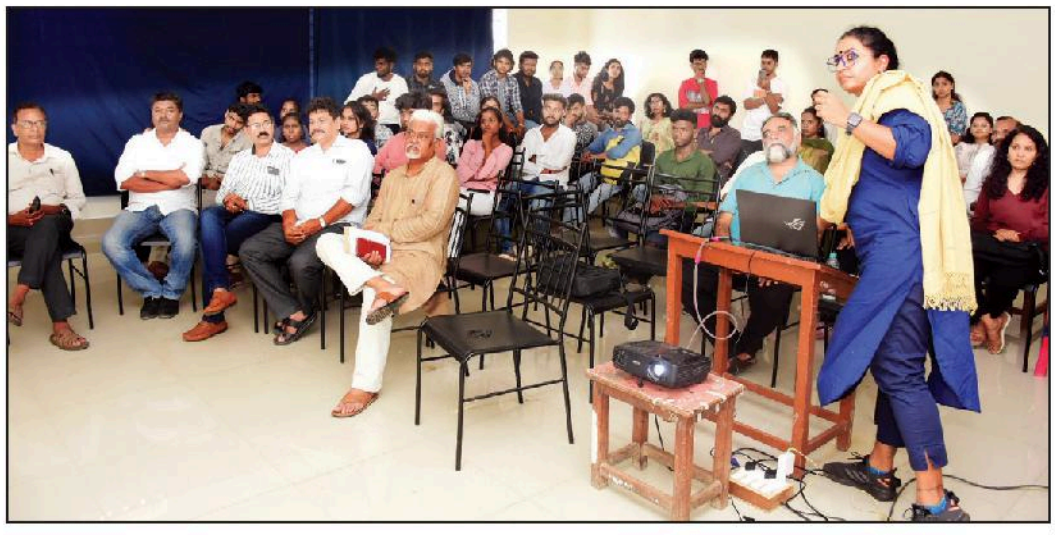
Three-day CAVA Mela begins

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (MTY&DM)- The three-day annual CAVA Mela-2023, an art expo organised by the Government-run Chamarajendra Academy of Visual Arts (CAVA) began at the CAVA premises in Siddarthanagar here this morning.

Noted visual artist and writer Suresh Jayaram and artist Indu Antony jointly inaugurated the Expo by cutting the tape. The Expo, organised by Kuncha Kavya Cultural Committee of the Academy, features Photographs, Sculptures, Models, Prototypes, Paintings, Caricatures and a variety of other art works prepared by CAVA students with the theme 'Kasadinda Rasa' (worthy things out of waste).

CAVA Dean A. Devaraj, noted artists C. Jayasimha, Surekha and others were present on the occasion.

The three-day expo is open for public during College hours and will conclude on Aug.23.



BJP stages protest in Mandya

Mandya MP Sumalatha Ambarish during the protest.

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Notably, the water level of KRS Dam, the source of Cauvery water discharge to TN, remains below capacity due to inadequate rainfall, the MP stated.

A heavy Police contingent, headed by Southern Range DIGP Dr. M.B. Boralingaiah and accompanied by Mandya SP N. Yatish, Additional SP Thimmaiah and other law enforcement officers, were present to avert any untoward incidents.

Participating in the demonstration were Bengaluru Central MP P.C. Mohan, MLA of Krishnaraja Constituency in Mysuru T.S. Srivatsa, former Chamaraja MLA L. Nagendra, BJP Mandya District President C.P. Umesh, leaders Dr. Siddaramaiah, Ashwath Narayan, Jayaram, Sachidananda and Dr. Indresh among others. Protest was on when we went to the press at 1.30 pm.

Stray dogs bite three tourists at KRS Dam

Operation begins to catch canines; stalls selling non-veg food reason for dog numbers to increase, say officers

Srirangapatna, Aug. 21 (Vinay Karekura&BCT)- The picturesque Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) Dam and Brindavan Gardens, a popular tourist destination, is plagued by stray dog menace. Last evening, over three tourists sustained bite and scratch injuries and one of the dogs, provoked by unknown factors, tore off the pants of a visitor who was screaming for help.

The menace led to the closure of the North Gate of the Dam at 7 pm yesterday even as hundreds of tourists were still waiting to get inside as it was a Sunday. Seeing the dogs attacking the tourists, the staff of Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited (CNNL) and the security personnel chased the canines but they took shelter amidst thick bushes near the North Gate.

Soon seeing the crowd, the pack of dogs again pounced on the tourists from the bushes. The tranquil setting of the Gardens that attracts travellers seeking solace amidst nature turned into a zone of caution and panic due to the aggressive behaviour of these canines.

The situation became even more challenging when efforts to disperse the dogs were met with resistance, leading to heightened apprehension among the crowd who had come with families and children. One lady from North India fell off as she lost balance. Medical treatment was provided to her.

A large number of tourists had gathered to see the lighting of the Dam and the Brindavan Gardens along with the musical fountain. The dogs attacked them as they were proceeding in groups towards the fountains and the lightings. The injured tourists were immediately rushed to a hospital in the ambulance arranged by the CNNL where they were vaccinated.

Following the incident, enraged tourists took the officials to task for not following safety precautions. The public alleged that the Dam was mismanaged despite lakhs of rupees being collected at the entry gates. The staff had a tough time in controlling the agitated crowd.

Speaking to *SOM* this morning, CNNL Assistant Executive Engineer (AEE) Abu Farooq said that just before the recent G20 delegation visit to the KRS, over 20 dogs were captured and shifted. "There are many shops that sell fish and other non-vegetarian food near the entrance and the waste is not discarded in a proper way. This is the main reason why the stray population is thriving here," he said. The authorities, acknowledging the gravity of the situation, are taking action to address the growing menace. Today also teams will go around Brindavan Gardens, North and South Gates to catch any stray dog, Abu added.

World Breastfeeding Month

Hundreds take part in Walkathon hosted by Motherhood Hospital

Mysuru, Aug. 21- About 300 people took part in the walkathon organised by Motherhood Hospital, Mysuru, yesterday as part of World Breastfeeding Month, in association with MAHAN (Mysore Association of Hospitals And Nursing Homes), KSOGA (Karnataka State Obstetric and Gynecology Association), Inner Wheel Club of Mysore West and Rotary Club of Mysore West.

The event brought mothers, families and supporters to celebrate the beauty of breastfeeding and raise awareness about its benefits. The walkathon was flagged off by Trishikha Kumari Wadiyar of Mysore Royal Family, along with Dr. Javeed Nayeem, President, MAHAN, in front of Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple in city. The walkathon passed through Chamaraja Wadiyar Circle, Hardinge Circle and culminated at starting point.

Dr. Lalitha of KSOGA, Dr. A. Sonia Mandappa, Advisory, KSOGA, Dr. Madhura Phatak, Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Motherhood Hospital, Dr. B. Chethan, Consultant Neonatologist & Paediatrician, Motherhood Hospital, Rtn. H.R. Keshav, Rotary District Governor, Rtn. G.K. Sudheendra, President, Rotary Club of Mysore West, Ashika Kushalappa, President, Inner Wheel Club of Mysore West, B.J. Sandeep Patel, Facility Director of the Hospital, doctors and employees were present.

Speaking on the occasion, Trishikha Wadiyar said: "Parents play a profound role in nurturing the journey of their child and breastfeeding serves as a unique and natural bridge between them. It's a sacred connection that transcends mere sustenance, embodying the essence of care, comfort and closeness. The act of breastfeeding is an intimate exchange where a mother's love flows in nourishing streams, fostering both physical and emotional growth in her baby. As parents navigate complexities of raising a child, breastfeeding stands as a beautiful reminder of the inherent bond between them and extraordinary power of nurturing through the simple act of providing life-sustaining milk. And this signifies today's event organised by Motherhood Hospital, Mysuru."

BCCI announces India squad for Asia Cup 2023

New Delhi, Aug. 21- Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) today announced the Indian squad for the 50-over Asia Cup 2023, which will be held from Aug. 30 to Sept. 17 in Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

Wicket-keeper-batter K.L. Rahul and middle-order batter Shreyas Iyer make a return to the squad, which includes Hyderabad batter Tilak Varma. While Varma has been included as an additional batsman, fast bowler Prasidh Krishna returns after a long injury lay-off.

India will face off against arch-rival Pakistan in a Group A match on Sept. 2 in Kandy. Nepal is the other team grouped alongside India and Pakistan.

INDIA SQUAD

Rohit Sharma (Captain), Shubman Gill, Virat Kohli, Shreyas Iyer, Suryakumar Yadav, Tilak Varma, K.L. Rahul (Wicket-Keeper), Ishan Kishan (Wicket-Keeper), Hardik Pandya (Vice-Captain), Ravindra Jadeja, Shardul Thakur, Axar Patel, Kuldeep Yadav, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Shami, Mohammed Siraj, Prasidh Krishna and Sanju Samson (travelling back-up).

Ex-servicemen to get treatment at discounted charges at Kamakshi Hospital

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (CN&DM)- Marking Independence Day celebrations, the city's Kamakshi Hospital will be providing treatment at discounted charges to Ex-servicemen, said the Hospital's Managing Trustee Dr. M. Mahesh Shenoy.

He was speaking after inaugurating the programme to honour 77 Ex-Servicemen and brave women, organised under the joint aegis of Media TV, Builders Association of India (BAI) and Mysuru Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT), at MBCT Sabha Bhavan near Sterling Theatre on Akkamahadevi Road here yesterday.

Pointing out that the country celebrated the 77th Independence Day on Aug. 15, 2023, he said that the sacrifice made by our Soldiers for the sake of the country cannot be forgotten.

Noting that it is a matter of pride to honour our brave Soldiers and warriors who laid down their lives for the country's Independence and while defending the country's borders, he said that Kamakshi Hospital is rendering a small service by offering treatment to Ex-servicemen at discounted charges. He called upon all eligible Ex-servicemen to avail this opportunity by presenting their valid ID cards.

Marking the 77th Independence Day, a total of 77 Ex-servicemen and brave women were honoured on the occasion.

Nirmala Hospital Medical Superintendent Dr. M. Basavaraju, Raghavendra of Bhamy's Construction, Entrepreneur Channappaji, Media TV Managing Director Nanjundaswamy, BAI Mysuru Chapter President Nagaraj V. Bairy, K.P. Divakar, Dr. Suresh, Ravigowda, Chikkanna, Vishwanath Shastri, M.V. Sridhar, Arun and others were present during the programme.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Under instructions from our client, GANESH S POOJARI, Aged about 28 years, son of Late. Sanjeev S. Poojari, # 57/1, "Sahana Nilaya" 5th Cross Road, Gayathrinagara, Bengaluru-560021 we are causing this public notice:

Our client has filed a Commercial suit in Com. O.S.No.237/2023 on the file of the Hon'ble Principal District Judge and Designated Commercial Court, at Mysuru seeking for the recovery of the amount against one B. PRASHANTH, aged about 43 years, son of Late. Basavaraj. M., residing at # 2902, Kantharaj Urs Road, Saraswathipuram, Mysuru-570 009. Said B.Prashanth has got 1/4 right over property more appropriately described in the schedule below; Now, the Hon'ble Court in the said case has directed said B.Prashanth to furnish security for Rs.3,75,00,000/- within 2 months from 10-08-2023 and place the same for disposal of the court when required. And accordingly a conditional order of attachment of 1/4 right of said B.Prashanth over the said property is being ordered.

This is to inform the public in large that if anybody indulges in buying any right over the schedule property from said B.Prashanth, the same will be subject to the above said liability.

'A' SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Commercial Property bearing Khata No.2902 CH 80 situated at Kantharaj Urs Road, Saraswathipuram, Mysuru-570009, measuring 21525 Sq.Ft. inclusive of Petrol Bunk and a building constructed on the above site bounded on:

East by Property of B Schedule (belongs to Defendant), West by Kantharaje Urs Road (Saraswathipuram 1st Main Road), North by Remaining property of defendant, South by Property of TTL College.

'B' SCHEDULE

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I-Day: Students display patriotism

Al Kareem School, Rajivnagar: Esther Bernard Prasanna, an international skater, who has won many gold medals, was the chief guest. School Founder Alhaj Hussaini Baig, ex-Corporator Suhail Baig, members of the Board of Trustees Asmathulla Baig, Rahmatullah Baig, Muteebur Rahman, Rahmatunnisa, School Chairman - Advocate Kaleemulla Baig, teachers and students were present on the occasion.

Students performed different cultural programmes to display patriotism.

Shree Mahaveer Jain Vidyalaya, Siddarthanagar: Dr. R. Nagendra Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, KSOU, Muktagangothri, was the chief guest who unfurled the National Flag. In his speech, he enlightened the audience about the supreme sacrifice of the great martyrs who gave their lives for the sake of freedom and why freedom is very precious and necessary to preserve it.

A few students delivered speeches on the occasion. Dance by Nursery and Primary kids, Dance-drama by High School students, Drill dance and pyramid show won the hearts of the audience. School President Devichand S. Salecha, Vice-President Champalal Jain, Secretary Hirachand Jain and other Trustee members, Principal B. Mohan, Head Mistress A. Vedavathi, staff, students and a large number of parents were present on the occasion.

Sharada Vidya Mandir, Sri Jayachamarajendra PU College, Visveshwaranagar: The members of the Management unfurled the National Flag while the teaching, non-teaching staff and students sang the National Anthem. K.R. Thanushree of II B welcomed. H. Vedhika and M. Ananya spoke on Independence struggle. Tharini and team rendered patriotic songs.

Chairman of the Institution N. Sachidananda Murthy appealed the students to be part of the 'rising' India and strive for its development.

SVM Principal Prathap Doddamane also spoke. R. Dhanik proposed a vote of thanks. M.A. Jayashree, Trustee and staff were present on the occasion.

Lalitha High School, Yadavagiri: Chief guest Shilpi Agarwal, President of South Western Railway Women's Welfare Organisation which runs Lalitha High School and also the Divisional Railway Manager of SWR, Mysuru Division, unfurled the Tricolour and received the guard of honour from the school students.

Pramati Hillview Academy, Kuvempunagar: Group Captain K.K. Bhaduri, IAF, No. 2 Air Force Selection Board, Mysuru, who was the chief guest, took salute and received the guard of honour.

Pramatians marched like young soldiers of the country in the march-past. Students participated enthusiastically in 'prabathpheri' early in the morning which attracted the people of the locality. School Treasurer S. Phaniraj presided. School Principal C.S. Sudarshan, Principal of PU College Sunil Dayakar, staff, parents and students witnessed programme.

JSS Public School, JSSTIs' Campus: DySP T. Kumar of Karnataka Police Academy and Prof. H.C. Lohitashwa Hulhatti were the chief guests at the Flag hoisting ceremony. Principal K.B. Suma, teachers, students and parents, were present. Students presented a cultural extravaganza.

Seshadripuram Independent PU College and Seshadripuram Degree College, Hebbal: Independence Day was celebrated with gaiety at the College in collaboration with its NSS and NCC Units. A.C. Lakshmana, IFS and Rtd. Secretary, Forest Department, Government of Karnataka, who was the chief guest, received the guard of honour by the NCC cadets and unfurled the Tricolour.

N. Archana Swamy, Principal, SIPUC, Prof. K. Sowmya Erappa, Principal, SDC, Dr. Raghavendra, PED, SDC and Vinay Kumar, PET, SIPUC, Mysuru, were present. Speaking on the occasion, Lakshmana traced many events highlighting the importance of the Day which was the result of years of struggle and sacrifice of many freedom fighters.

The programme was witnessed by lecturers of both Seshadripuram PU and Degree Colleges.

Minister Lakshmi Hebbalkar visits
Gruha Lakshmi Scheme launch venue

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (SPN&DM)- With the State Government set to launch its ambitious 'Gruha Lakshmi' scheme in the city on Aug. 30, Women and Child Welfare Minister Lakshmi Hebbalkar, accompanied by officials and elected representatives, visited the sprawling Maharaja's College Grounds, the venue of the launch and reviewed the preparations on Sunday.

Earlier speaking to press persons after holding a meeting with officials on the preparations at the ZP Hall here yesterday, Laksmi Hebbalkar said that the 'Gruha Lakshmi' scheme, one of the five pre-Poll Guarantees of the Congress, will be launched by top Congress leader and MP Rahul Gandhi and AICC President Mallikarjun Kharge.

Pointing out that there are 1.30 crore eligible families in the State out of which 1.10 crore families have registered for 'Gruha Lakshmi' scheme, she said the scheme will be formally launched with the credit of Rs. 2,000 to the accounts of woman heads of eligible families on Aug. 30. Noting that the scheme costs the State Government Rs. 36,000 crore annually, the Minister said more than 2 lakh beneficiaries from the districts of Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagar and Kodagu are expected to attend the launch of the scheme.

Continuing, Lakshmi Hebbalkar said that 13.81 lakh eligible women from the four districts of Mysuru region have registered for the scheme. Pointing out that this is the biggest programme to take place in Mysuru after the Siddharamaiah-led Congress Government came to power in the State, she said 2,000 buses will be engaged for ferrying the beneficiaries from across Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagar and Kodagu districts. Each bus will be accompanied by a Woman Police Constable and two male officials, she said adding that this measure is to ensure that no untoward incidents take place during travel.

She further said that 85 percent of the eligible families in Mysuru, Mandya and Chamarajanagar districts have registered for the scheme.

District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, who also spoke, said that 1.30 crore families in the State will benefit from this ambitious scheme of the Government which is aimed at financial empowerment of women. Maintaining that a huge gathering of beneficiaries is expected at the grounds on the launch date of Aug. 30, he directed the officials to ensure that proper arrangements are made and basic amenities are in place at the venue.

MLAs K. Harishgowda, D. Ravishankar and Darshan Dhruvanarayan, Directorate of Women and Child Welfare Department Director M.S. Archana, Regional Commissioner G.C. Prakash, Mysuru DC Dr. K.V. Rajendra, Chamarajanagar DC Shilpa Nag, Mandya DC Dr. Kumar, Mysuru SP Seema Latkar and other officials were present.

Artists protest against atrocities on women through paintings

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (GA&KS)- Condemning atrocities on women across the country, a few artists took to paint and brush to register their protest during the workshop on drawing the portraits of Sowjanya, organised by the Federation of Progressive Organisations in front of Kukkarahalli Lake Gate yesterday.

The event was inaugurated by city-based artist Badal Nanjundaswamy by writing 'Justice' on the canvas.

Students from CAVA, Ravivarma Arts College and Sree Kalanikethana School of Art, who drew and painted the portraits, also painted captions such as 'Give justice to Sowjanya', Arrest the Criminal', 'Stop Rape' etc. to register their protest.

Federation's C. Basavalingaiah, Bhoomigowda, J.P. Basavaraju, Mime Ramesh, N. Divakar, Savitha Pa. Mallesh, Krishnaprasad, K.R. Gopalakrishna, former Rangayana Director Janardhan (Janni), Prof. Kalachennegowda and others were present.

Obituary

Tulasamma

Mysuru, Aug. 21- Tulasamma (90), a resident of Kuvempunagar, passed away yesterday morning in city.

She leaves behind her son Kumar (Secretary of Mysuru Kannada Vedike) and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at Jayanagar Burial Grounds.

N. Nataraju

Mandya: N. Nataraju (62), son of late B.V. Narayanaiah and a resident of Kodiyala village in Mandya taluk, passed away yesterday at the village. He was the former President of Kodiyala Gram Panchayat.

He leaves behind his wife, two sons and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at the village yesterday evening.

Ponraju

Hunsur: Ponraju (73), Proprietor of Gayathri Textiles and a resident of Nandagokula Layout, passed away yesterday evening in the town. He leaves behind his wife, one daughter, son-in-law, two sons, daughter-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the burial grounds near the Taluk Office this afternoon.

Youth allegedly stabbed to death by friends

Mysuru, Aug. 21 (MTY&KS)- A 28-year-old youth was allegedly stabbed to death by his four friends near his house at Vidyanagar here on Saturday night.

The deceased youth has been identified as Balaraj, a resident of Vidyanagar 4th Cross in city and the accused have been identified as Tejas, Sanjay, Kiran and Samrat, all friends of Balaraj and residents of the same locality.

According to Police, Balaraj was working for a bookie at Mysore Race Course (MRC) and the accused and the victim were childhood friends. They were residing on the same street.

On Saturday night, a fight broke out between them and the neighbours, who pacified them, sent them away.

But the four again went in front of Balaraj's house and picked up a fight again and when Balaraj's father tried to thwart the fight, the accused stabbed Balaraj and fled from the spot. Balaraj reportedly died on the spot.

Based on the complaint from Balaraj's relatives, Nazarbad Police, who have registered a case, have launched a hunt to nab the accused who are absconding.

Bid to kidnap minor girl from school
Screams from other students force kidnappers to flee

Nanjangud, Aug. 21- Two miscreants, who tried to kidnap an eight-year-old girl from her school, had to abort their plans and flee from the spot after the girl and her fellow students screamed for help.

The incident took place at the Government Higher Primary School at Hullahalli village in the taluk on Friday afternoon.

When the girl went to answer nature's call in the afternoon, the kidnappers, who were hiding near the compound tried to drag the girl, who screamed for help thus alerting her fellow students, who rushed to the spot and began to scream for help forcing the kidnappers to leave the girl and flee from the spot.

Teachers, who comforted the girl, informed her parents about the incident and the School Head Master Ganesh lodged a complaint at Hullahalli Police Station.

The incident taking place in the School premises has sent shock to other parents and Hullahalli Police, based on the complaint, visited the School and collected information.

Meanwhile, Jaya Karnataka President Javaranayaka, who has expressed shock, alleged that the compound behind the School was in a dilapidated state and bushes, shrubs and weeds had overgrown in the School's surrounding making it easy for miscreants to enter the School premises.

He demanded the authorities concerned to get the bushes and shrubs cleared and take steps to get the compound repaired at the earliest.

WORD OF THE DAY

Filch

Pronunciation: FILCH.
Meaning: To filch something is to secretly or casually steal it. The word filch also usually, though not always, implies that what has been stolen is small or of little monetary value.
Origin: The award-winning 2019 video game Untitled Goose Game, in which players control titular (or "un-titular"?) waterfowl through several levels of light and family-friendly mayhem, serves as an excellent primer on the meaning of filch. In fact, many of the game's objectives involve waddling furtively around a quaint little scene, such as a garden & trying to avoid detection by humans while you pilfer, say, a pumpkin or a woolen hat. To filch is to steal something (usually, though not always, a small or relatively unimportant something) in secret. So why not just use steal? There's often a distinct twang of humor or mischievousness in filch that's not inherent in plain old steal, and that reflects a casualness or nonchalance on the part of the silly goose—whether literal or figurative — snatching the pie from the windowsill.
Example: "Distillery employees filched more than $100,000 of the most famous name in rare bourbon, Pappy Van Winkle, to resell, a 2013 caper that has been dubbed 'Pappygate.'" — Justin Jouvenal, The Washington Post, 20 Sept. 2022

THE ODD WORD

Farris

Female blacksmith.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Trickle down

Meaning: The phrase 'Trickle down' means [for something] to be distributed to someone or something in little bits at a time.
Origin: As with many popular terms, origin of the phrase 'Trickle down' comes directly from the world of politics. It was first used as an adjectival phrase in 1944, but it dates back even further, to the days when American President Theodore Roosevelt introduced the idea of New Nationalism.
Example: "Information about what happened finally trickled down to me."

QUOTE BOX

If life were predictable it would cease to be life, and be without flavour.

—Eleanor Roosevelt

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

PANTS

Answer: Ants in the pants.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Olfactory organ
5 Ind. Bankers Assoc.
8 Kind of pudding
12 Got a hole in one
13 Use a knife
14 Common metal
15 Most firmly established
17 Mastery, superiority - "Gere" anagram?
18 Muslim festival
19 The rest - not us?
21 Frugal or lean
24 Jogs
25 Sharp pain
26 Magician's stick
27 TV Guide abbreviation
30 Primate
31 Propelled a boat?
32 Most commonly used comparative suffix?
33 Tic ___ toe
34 Remain behind
35 __ __ even keel : cruising serenely? (2,2)
36 Thin flat circular objects - gramophone records?
38 Quarrel
39 Bathroom accessory
41 Soapy water or soap bubble
42 Alternate
43 Thriftily
48 Jazz singer Laine
49 Utilise
50 Inst. of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
51 A compass point
52 Limited, in short
53 Keeps troubling or worrying

SATURDAY'S ANSWER

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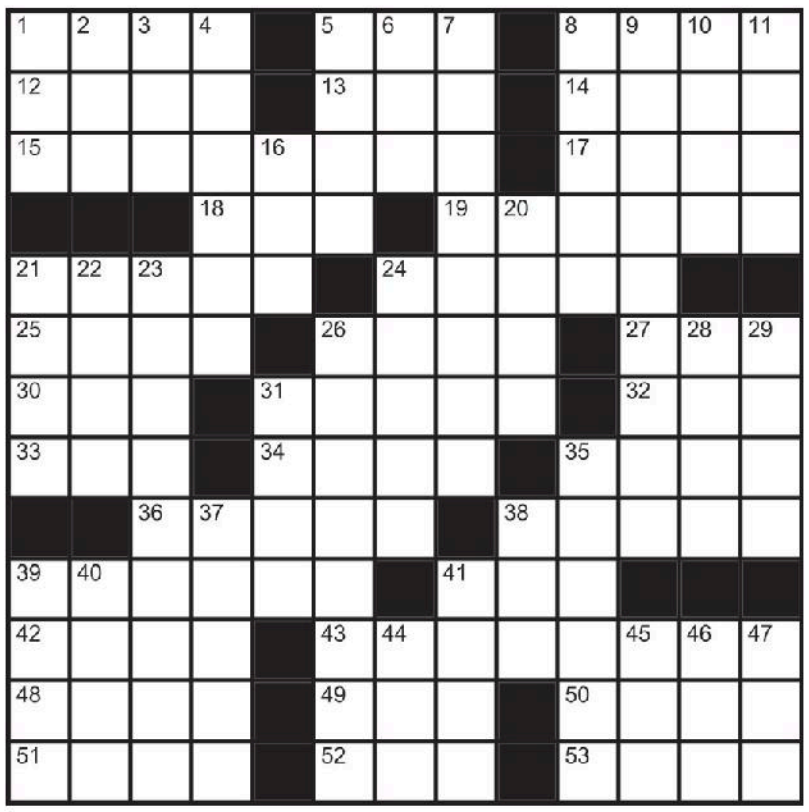
DOWN

1 Naval air station, acronym
2 Sep sequel
3 Body of water
4 Court star Stefan
5 Made cooler
6 Passenger vehicle
7 Lawyer
8 Faculty of vision
9 Apprehending or capturing
10 One making a departure, should we say?
11 Singles
16 Untruth, fib
20 Lincoln's Mary
21 Petty quarrel
22 Father or daddy
23 Short amusing stories
24 Nikolai Gogol hero "___ Bulba"
26 Vigilant and observant; wary
28 Sweetheart
29 English composer
31 Greek peak
35 Admit to holy orders
37 Otherwise ? (2,3)
38 Eighth mo.
39 Fine open fabric
40 Clay water jar
41 Litigated
44 Alphabet trio
45 Open land
46 Lower limb
47 Progressive rock group



SUDOKU

		3					8	5
			2			7	9	
			4	3		1		
			9					7
		5		8		3		
9					6			
		9		7	1			
	4	8			3			
7	6					8		

Answer to previous puzzle

5	6	3	2	1	8	4	9	7
4	8	2	5	7	9	6	1	3
1	7	9	4	3	6	8	5	2
2	1	8	6	5	4	7	3	9
9	4	6	7	2	3	5	8	1
7	3	5	9	8	1	2	6	4
3	2	1	8	4	5	9	7	6
6	5	7	3	9	2	1	4	8
8	9	4	1	6	7	3	2	5

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

LI RLMLJQ KDJFLULDJA FDJ'U AUDX LWXZDMLJQ

LJ UELA KDVJUZH, GP'ZP QDLJQ UD ZVJ DVU DI

EVWSRP SPQLJJLJQA IDZ DVZ QZPTU WPJ.

TODAY'S CLUE: Q EQUALS G

Saturday's Cryptoquip: The trouble with the rat race is that even if you win you're still a rat.

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Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	(S-1)	10 am, 10.10 pm; (S-4) 1 pm
Jailer (Ta)	(S-1)	1 pm
	(S-4)	9.50 am, 3.50 pm, 7.05, 10.20
Jailer (K)	(S-2)	12.55 pm
Baang (K)	(S-1)	4.30 pm
OMG 2 (H)	(S-1)	7.10 pm
Ghoomer (H)	(S-2)	10.15 am, 7.25 pm
Gadar 2 (H)	(S-2)	4.05 pm
Mister Pragnant (Te)	(S-2)	10.10 pm
Kshethrapathi (K)	(S-3)	10.40 am
Achar & Co (K)	(S-3)	1.45 pm
Rocky Aur Rani Kii Prem Kahaani (H)	(S-3)	4.00 pm
Blue Beetal (E)	(S-3)	7.15 pm, 9.55 pm

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Blue Beetle (E)	:	10 am, 1.15 pm, 7.00 pm
Hostel Hudugaru Bekagiddare (K)	:	10 am, 6.30 pm
Jailer (Ta)		10 am, 3:30 pm
		6.45 pm, 10.00 pm
Jailer (K)	:	11.30 am, 3.45 pm, 9:30 pm
Kshetrapathi (K)	:	12.30 pm
Baang (K)	:	1.00 pm
Gadar 2: The Katha Continues (H)	:	3 pm, 6.15 pm
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	:	3.30 pm, 9.30 pm

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Jailer (Ta)	:	8.10 am, 11.45 am, 3.20 pm
		6.55 pm, 10.30 pm
Jailer (K)	:	10 am, 6.20 pm
OMG 2 (H)	:	9.10 am, 11.50 am, 3.10 pm, 10 pm
Blue Beetle (E)	:	10.45 am, 4.25 pm, 10.20 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	11 am
Gadar 2: The Katha Continues (H)	:	11.30 am, 3.05 pm, 6.40, 10.15 pm
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	:	12.30 pm, 9.50 pm
Ghoomer (H)	:	1.25 pm, 7.20 pm
Aachar & Co (K)	:	1.30 pm
Baang (K)	:	3.35 pm
Hostel Hudugaru Bekagiddare (K)	:	4.05 pm
Rocky Aur Rani Kii Prem Kahaani (H)	:	6.30 pm
Namo Bhoothathma 2 (K)	:	7.10 pm, 10.10 pm

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Jailer (Ta)	:	8.30 am, 12 noon, 3.15 pm
		3.30 pm, 7 pm, 10.30 pm
OMG 2 (H)	:	8.55 am, 9.10 am, 7 pm, 10.10 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	11.20 am
Gadar 2: The Katha Continues (H)	:	12.05 pm, 3.30 pm 10.20 pm
Kshetrapathi (K)	:	12.15 pm
Blue Beetle (E)	:	12.30 pm, 6.45 pm, 9.30 pm
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	:	3.35 pm
Rocky Aur Rani Kii Prem Kahaani (H)	:	6.40 pm

EVENTS TODAY (AUGUST 21)

- **Neralu Belaku Gallery:** Painting exhibition by artist R. Praveen, Neralu Belaku Gallery - Coffee City, Ambarish Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **up to 7 pm.**
- **Gruhashobe:** Monsoon Shopping Festival, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Sahara Art and Crafts:** Shopping Festival — Handicraft and Handloom expo-cum-sale — Scouts and Guides Grounds, behind DC's Office, **up to 9.30 pm.**
- **Srikrishna Trust Chaturmasya Samiti:** Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's 36th Chaturmasya Vrata, Bhajans, Bhagavata discourse, Ramayana discourse, **5 pm**; Cultural programme - Flute recital by Pt. Hrishikesh Majumdar (son of Pt. Ronu Majumdar), Srikrishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **7 pm to 8.30 pm.** [Mob: 94482-71837 or 99452-30501]
- **Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit:** 'Mane-Manege Shravana Masada Sharana Sandesha,' Lecture on 'Tanukaragadavaralli Majjanavanolleyayya Ninu' by Shivakumaraswamy, Tarangini Mahila Balaga, Basava Bhavana, Ahimsa Marga, Siddarthanagar, **5.30 pm.**
- **Sanchalana Mysuru and Kannada and Culture Department:** 'Ananthashwatha' light music programme in memory of renowned musicians Mysuru Ananthaswamy, C. Ashwath and Raju Ananthaswamy; Kannada and Culture Joint Director V.N. Mallikarjunaswamy presides, Poet Dr. Jayappa Honnahalli, Singer Shubha Raghavendra, Rangayana Deputy Director Nirmala Matapathi, Kannada and Culture Department Assistant Director Dr. M.D. Sudarshan and Sanchalana Mysuru President Deepak Mysuru chief guests, Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Sosale Vyasaraja Mutt, Krishnamurthypuram:** 'Sampoorna Ramayana Pravachana Yajna' as part of Adhika Masa, discourse on 'Uttarakanda' by Dr. C.H. Srinivasamurthy Acharya, Mutt premises, Krishnamurthypuram, **6 pm to 7 pm.**
- **Suttur Mutt:** Shravanamasa discourse; Mass prayers, **6 pm;** Retd. Kannada Professor Dr. K. Anantharamu delivers discourse on Lakkanna Dandesha's 'Shivatatva Chintamani,' Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6.30 pm.**
- **Sanatana Sabha, Mysuru:** 'Ramayana' Discourse Series, Discourse on 'Kishkindakanda' by critic Vid. G.N. Bhatta, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **6.30 pm to 8 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (AUGUST 22)

- **Sri Lakshminarasimhaswamy Temple:** 'Swati' Nakshatra - Special Pujas, Sankalpa, **8 am;** Abhisheka, **9 am;** Alankara, **10.30 am;** Mahamangalarati, **11.30 am;** Shattumorai, **12.30 pm;** Teertha Prasada, **1 pm;** Prakarotsava, Sri Lakshminarasimhaswamy Temple, Kalidasa Road, **7.30 pm.** [Mob: 93421-88323 or 75988-32271]
- **Neralu Belaku Gallery:** Painting exhibition by artist R. Praveen, Neralu Belaku Gallery - Coffee City, Ambarish Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **10 am to 7 pm.**
- **Sahara Art and Crafts:** Shopping Festival — Handicraft and Handloom expo-cum-sale — Scouts and Guides Grounds, behind DC's Office, **10.30 am to 9.30 pm.**
- **Shri Kshethra Dharmasthala Rural Development Project (SKDRDP) B.C. Trust, Mysuru taluk, Mandi Mohalla Zone:** Installation of office-bearers of 12 Unions of Mandi Mohalla Zone, Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda inaugurates, former Corporator M. Shivanna presides, BKP Convention Hall, Gita Mandira Road, **10.30 am.**
- **Gruhashobe:** Monsoon Shopping Festival, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **11 am to 9 pm.**
- **Srikrishna Trust Chaturmasya Samiti:** Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's 36th Chaturmasya Vrata, Bhajans, Bhagavata discourse, Ramayana discourse, **5 pm**; Cultural programme - Classical Music by *Ganakala Bhushana* Vid. R.K. Padmanabha, Srikrishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **7 pm to 8.30 pm.** [Mob: 94482-71837 or 99452-30501]
- **Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit:** 'Mane-Manege Shravana Masada Sharana Sandesha,' Lecture on 'Lanchavanchanege Kaiyanada Bhashe' by Prof. D.S. Sadashivamurthy, residence of K.N. Muddappaswamy, No. 100/A, 3rd Main, 3rd Cross, Raghavendranagar, **5.30 pm.**
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Jailer (K)	(S-1)	11.20 am, 9.50 pm
Gadar 2 - The Katha Continues (H)	(S-3)	9.55 am
	(S-4)	2.00 pm, 6.10 pm
Aachar & Co (K)	(S-3)	7.45 pm
OMG 2 (H)	(S-2)	12.55 pm, 7.15 pm
	(S-4)	9.40 pm
Rockey Aur Rani Ki Prem Kahani (H)	(S-3)	1.25 pm
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	(S-2)	4.10 pm
Ghoomer (H)	(S-2)	9.55 am (S-3) 10.10 pm
Blue Beetle (E)	(S-3)	4.55 pm (S-2) 10.30 pm
Trailer Screening Show	(S-4)	5.30 pm

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		6:30 pm, 10.30 pm
OMG 2 (H)	:	9.20 am, 4.05 pm, 10.10 pm
Gadar 2: The Katha Continues (H)	:	10.50 am, 3 pm, 10 pm
Ghoomer (H)	:	12.45 pm
Blue Beetle (E)	:	1.40 pm, 7.20 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	2.20 pm
Baang (K)	:	4.30 pm
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	:	7.15 pm
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2. ಈ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ ಸಂ:29/2023–24/2ನೇ ಕರೆ ದಿ:17.08.2023

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಮೈಸೂರು ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್‌ರವರಿಂದ ಈ ವಿಭಾಗ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಬಿಡ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಕೆ.ಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ–1&2ರ ಪರತ್ತು ಮತ್ತು ನಿಯಮಗಳನ್ವಯ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿಸಿರುವ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ (viz https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/) 21.08.2023 ರಿಂದ 28.08.2023ರ ಸಂಜೆ 4:00 ರವರೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.52.00ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು, ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.5.00ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದು ಹಾಗೂ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ರೂ.1,04,000/–ಮತ್ತು ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ರೂ.12500/–ಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳು ಬೇಕಾದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವವರ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಆಥವಾ ಮಾರ್ಪಾಡುಗಳಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

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